

Analyzing Occupational Supply-Demand for Today's Workforce Issues

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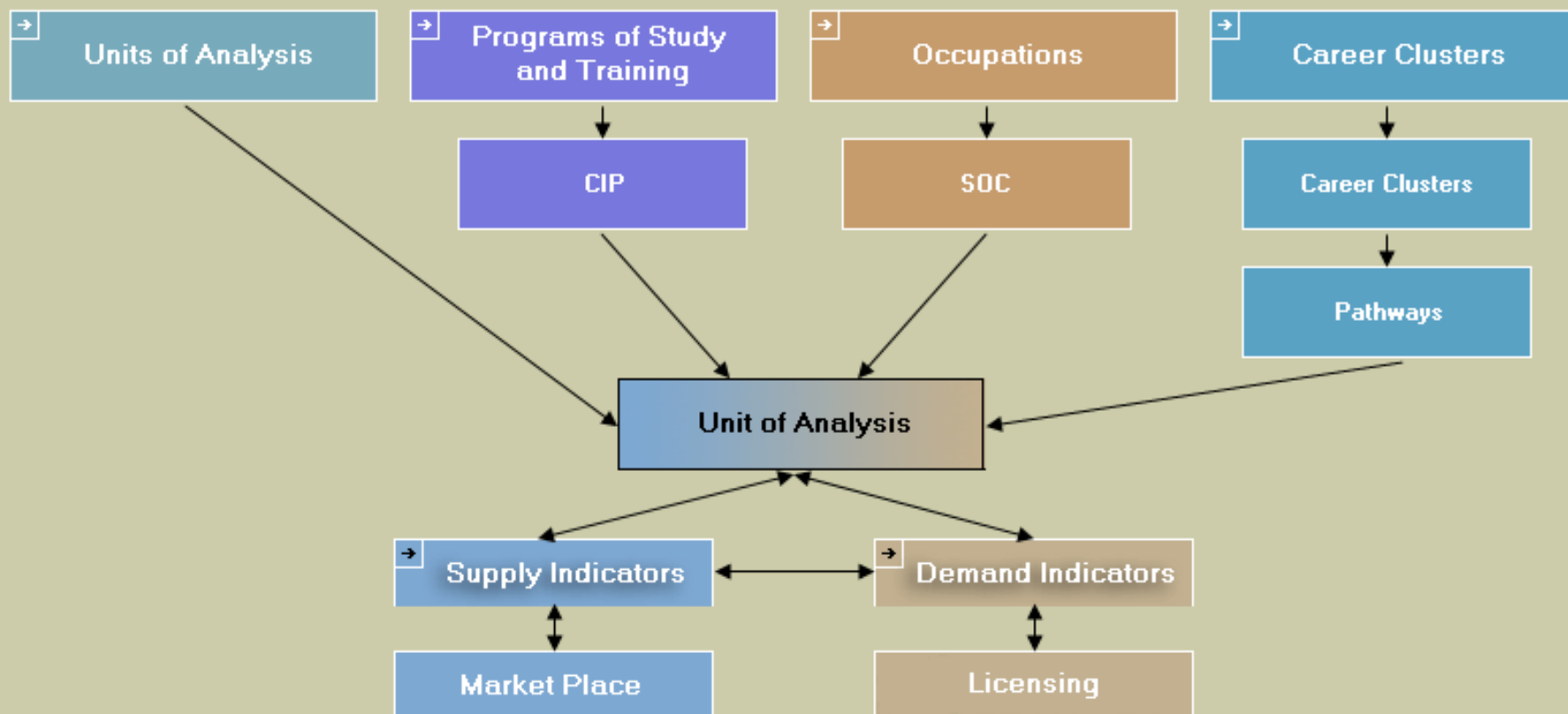
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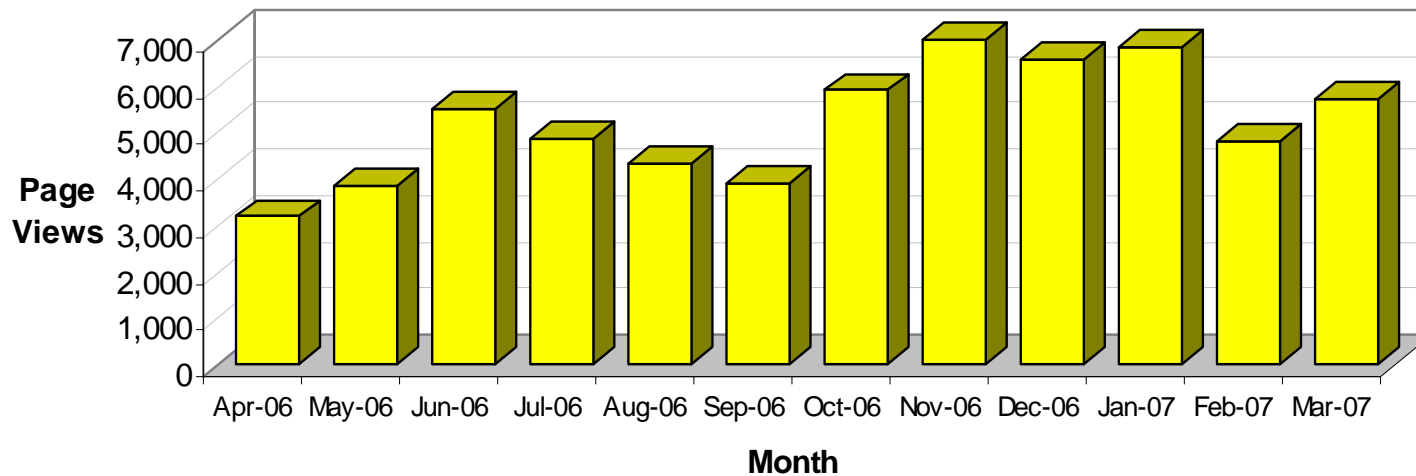
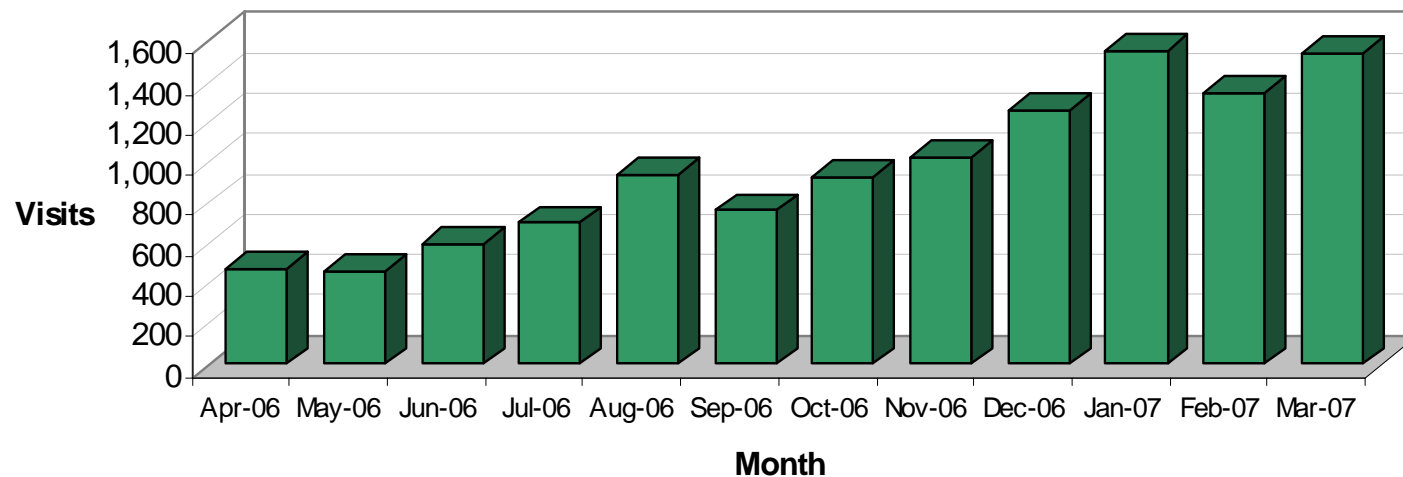
OSDS OCCUPATIONAL SUPPLY DEMAND SYSTEM

The Occupational Supply Demand System provides information and resources that will assist with the analysis and discussion of supply and demand issues relevant to today's labor market.

The Supply Demand data is organized by Units of Analysis -- groups of related occupations and training programs. Choose one of four ways to access a Unit of Analysis that contains the Supply and Demand information.



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SUPPLY AND DEMAND: INFORMATION FOR TRAINING INVESTMENTS AND EFFICIENT JOB SEARCHES

**Applications of the internet
Occupational Supply Demand System
(OSDS) of the Georgia Career
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In terms of workforce development, most job seekers suffer from either frictional or structural unemployment, or a combination of both.

- With frictional unemployment, the job seeker has marketable skills that are in demand and command a living wage; but the job seeker does not know how to carry out an efficient job search.
- With structurally unemployed persons, their work skills are no longer in demand by employers; and they need to be re-trained.

Workforce development professionals may employ the Occupational Supply Demand System (OSDS) to serve effectively customers suffering from these types of frictional and/or structural unemployment.

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